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APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Lee BAHORUN Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. \boxtimes This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. The US has been elected (Article 31). \boxtimes A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) [WO 2005/044385 A1] 冈 is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). a. b. has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). C. \boxtimes An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). is attached hereto [9 pages of Specification, 16 claims and 3 sheets of drawing]. 冈 a. Has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). b. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). П a. have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. C. d. have not been made and will not be made. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). \boxtimes An (unexecuted) oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. 🔲 An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 11. 🛛 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. 🛛 A preliminary amendment. After the title, insert the following "This application is a National Phase of PCT/GB2004/004325, which claims priority to 0324508.1 filed 14. 🔯 21 October 2003 and 0325078.4 filed 28 October 2003, which are hereby incorporated by reference. 15. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 16. A substitute specification. 17. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 18. A computer readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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